

Agency Activity Inventory by Agency

Appropriation Period: 2005-07 Activity Version: Governor Gregoire's 05-07 Proposal

Agency: 046 - State Law Library

Legal Research and Research Services

The State Law Library, located in the Temple of Justice, maintains a legal research library and provides legal reference service to state government and the public. In addition, three branch libraries are maintained at the Courts of Appeals in Seattle, Tacoma, and Spokane. The primary function of the State Law Library is to provide a legal research library for the use of the public, state officials, staff and employees of the judicial, legislative, and executive branches of government, including all commissions, agencies and boards, local governments, and members of the bar. The State Law Library also advises administrative bodies of county law libraries on developing and improving county law library services. State law (RCW 27.20) establishes the State Law Library as part of the judicial branch of government under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court.

Statewide Result Area: Improve the ability of State Government to achieve its results efficiently and effectively

Category: Decision support for government decision makers

FY 2006				FY 2007			
Total	GFS	Other	FTEs	Total	GFS	Other	FTEs
\$2,021,000	\$2,021,000	\$0	13.8	\$2,024,000	\$2,024,000	\$0	13.8

Expected Results:

To continue to provide legal research services to the judicial, legislative, and executive branches of state and local government, and to the citizens of the state in a timely and efficient manner.